

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT 600 ARMY PENTAGON WASHINGTON, DC 20310-0600



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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: The Army Standards for Chapels

- 1. The Army Standards for Chapels listed in the attached enclosures are approved. These standards are effective immediately and must be applied to all construction of new chapels (200 seat), chapel centers (400 seat), and chapel complexes (600 seat) on all Army installations. This committee must approve any planned deviation from these standards prior to the construction of new chapels.
- 2. The Army Standards for Chapels establishes three set chapel sizes, and specifies the requirements for worship and activity areas, classrooms, and other unique features and criteria. The Facility Design Team (FDT) for Chapels will issue Standard Designs that will incorporate these mandatory Army Standards and provide the recommended layout for the most efficient configuration of all the required elements. The FDT for Chapels Chair is Chaplain (LTC) Benjamin D. Richardson, DACH-IML POC, (703) 601-1122, ben.richardson@us.army.mil; the ACSIM member is Wendy Schmidt, OACSIM POC, DAIM-FDH, (703) 604-1449, wendy.schmidt@hqda.army.mil; and the USACE Center of Standardization for Chapels is Omaha District, represented by Albert Young, (202) 761-7099, albert.young@hq02.usace.army.mil.

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